



**MURIEL BOWSER**  
**MAYOR**

March 7, 2023

The Honorable Phil Mendelson  
Chairman  
Council of the District of Columbia  
John A. Wilson Building  
1350 Pennsylvania Avenue NW, Suite 504  
Washington, DC 20004

Dear Chairman Mendelson:

In accordance with section 2 of the Confirmation Act of 1978, effective March 3, 1979 (D.C. Law 2-142; D.C. Official Code § 1-523.01), and pursuant to section 202 of the Homeland Security, Risk Reduction, and Preparedness Amendment Act of 2006, effective March 14, 2007 (D.C. Law 16-262; D.C. Official Code § 7-2271.02), I am pleased to nominate the following person:

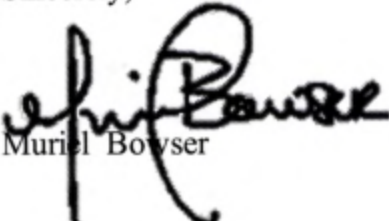
Ms. Remaya Campbell  
K Street, SW  
Washington, DC 20011  
(Ward 6)

for appointment as a member of the Homeland Security Commission, filling a vacant seat previously held by Philip McNamara, to serve the remainder of an unexpired term ending February 22, 2025.

Enclosed you will find biographical information detailing the experience of the above-mentioned nominee, together with a proposed resolution to assist the Council during the confirmation process.

I would appreciate the Council's earliest consideration of this nomination for confirmation. Please do not hesitate to contact me, or Steven Walker, Director, Mayor's Office of Talent and Appointments, should the Council require additional information.

Sincerely,

  
Muriel Bowser



Chairman Phil Mendelson  
at the request of the Mayor

A PROPOSED RESOLUTION

IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

To confirm the appointment of Ms. Remaya Campbell to the Homeland Security Commission.

RESOLVED, BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this resolution may be cited as the "Homeland Security Commission Remaya Campbell Confirmation Resolution of 2023".

Sec. 2. The Council of the District of Columbia confirms the appointment of:

Ms. Remaya Campbell  
K Street, SW  
Washington, DC 20024  
(Ward 6)

as a member of the Homeland Security Commission, pursuant to section 202 of the Homeland Security, Risk Reduction, and Preparedness Amendment Act of 2006, effective March 14, 2007 (D.C. Law 16-262; D.C. Official Code § 7-2271.02), filling a vacant seat previously held by Philip McNamara, to serve the remainder of an unexpired term ending February 22, 2025.

Sec. 3. The Council of the District of Columbia shall transmit a copy of this resolution, upon its adoption, to the nominee and to the Office of the Mayor.

Sec. 4. This resolution shall take effect immediately.

# Remaya M. Campbell

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## EDUCATION AND RESEARCH INVOLVEMENTS (in chronological order)

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University of Otago, New Zealand – Masters of Peace and Conflict Studies Jul 2019

University of Southern California – B.A. in Law, History and Culture; Minor in International Relations Dec 2017

Honors and Awards: Rotary International Global Grant Scholar, USC Trustee Scholar, Schaeffer Gov. Service Fellow

### Publications

Campbell, R. (2022). *Hoax in the Machine: Disinformation Against Voting Systems Manufacturers and Technologies in the 2022 US Midterm Elections*. Recorded Future, Insikt Group Global Issues Team ([PDF](#))

Kappmeier, M., Bushra, G., & Campbell, R. (2019). *They Are Us? The Mediating Effects of Compatibility-Based Trust on the Relationship Between Discrimination and Overall Trust*. New Zealand Journal of Psychology, 48(1). ([PDF](#))

Liston, B., Wright, C., Campbell, R., et al. (2022). *Malign Influence During the 2022 US Midterm Elections - Domestic Extremists*. Recorded Future, Insikt Group Global Issues Team ([PDF](#))

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## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE (in order of relevance)

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Blackbird.ai, Intelligence Analyst Nov 2022 - Present

- Identify, research and author intelligence reports on disinformation campaigns and wider information operations related to right-wing extremism and electoral integrity for international government and private sector clients using a wide collection of OSINT tools and quantitative techniques.
- Contribute to the development of output standards for company's Research & Development team.
- Serve as an extremism and disinformation subject matter expert for international suite of clients.

Recorded Future, Senior Threat Intelligence Analyst - (Dis)Information Operations & Right Wing Extremism Nov 2021 - Nov 2022

- Identify, research and author intelligence reports on disinformation campaigns and wider information operations related to right-wing extremism and electoral integrity for international government and private sector clients using a wide collection of OSINT tools and quantitative techniques.
- Curate OSINT data sources for induction into Recorded Future's platform, including open source information regarding specific events, extremist content, and persons/users of interest across mainstream and alternative social media sites, encrypted messaging platforms, and the dark web.
- Pioneer the use of AI large language models in geopolitical report drafting for the Global Issues department using OpenAI's API DaVinci model, resulting in increased publication outputs.

Central Intelligence Agency, Counter-Terrorism Intelligence Analyst, Fellowship 2017 - 2018

- Monitor operations of MENA-based extremist organizations from the CounterTerrorism Mission Center (CTMC)
- Synthesize strategic analysis and author intelligence products to inform and assist U.S. authorities (including the White House, National Security Council and Department of Defense) and allies in critical decision-making.

Team Rubicon (Los Angeles), Associate, Capabilities Design and Development May 2020 – Oct 2021

- Coordinate development of internal processes, capabilities, and standard operating procedures for fledgling emergency management programs according to domestic (FEMA) and international (WHO) standards of practice.



- Oversee process mapping, designs, development of control mechanisms and establishment of KPIs for Capabilities and Field Operations teams.

**USC Center on Communication Leadership and Policy, *Research Fellow***

Aug 2019 – May 2020

- Conduct research on issues pertinent to U.S. election integrity for key corporate partnerships. Topics include Russian disinformation efforts, public trust in electoral integrity, and cyber security.
- Assist in managing event scheduling and facilitation by interfacing with Annenberg facilities staff and other hosts.
- Design graphics for Center event promotion include print flyers and Facebook banners.

**USC-UNESCO Journal for Humanities and Civic Life, *Editor-in-Chief & Research Coordinator***

Jan 2018 – May 2018

- Supervise the individual research projects of the inaugural Levan Institute Cohort of UNESCO Scholars and guide undergraduate students through the process of academic writing for publication.
- Serve as founding editor-in-chief of journal and determine initial thematic research directions under the purview of the Director of the Levan Institute for Humanities and Ethics.

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**RESEARCH INVOLVEMENTS**

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**Institute for Economics and Peace (IEP) (Sydney), *Peace Ambassador***

Dec 2019 – Present

- Coordinate with the Institute and its global partners to champion IEP's peace research and methodology, identifying national and regional risks of instability and violence and improving forecasting accuracy of state-level and interstate resilience to natural and man-made shock.

**National Centre for Peace and Conflict Studies (Dunedin, NZ), *Social Psychology Research Assistant***

Fall 2018

- Process respondent data across Qualtrics and IBM® SPSS Statistics to represent varying levels of institutional trust among minority populations in New Zealand toward police. Study led by Dr. Mariska Kappmeier and performed comparatively to statistically similar populations in Boston, MA.

**Levan Institute for Humanities and Ethics (Oxford-Belfast), *Religion and Human Rights Researcher***

Summer 2016

- Research, conducted in partnership with the Oxford Institute for Ethics, Law and Armed Conflict, interpreted competing moral frameworks surrounding post-9/11 religious terrorism.
- Conduct interviews with ex-convict 'designated-terrorists' from Long Kesh Detention Centre (HM Prison Maze), Northern Ireland.



**Executive Office of the Mayor - Office of Talent and Appointments**

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**Remaya M. Campbell**



Remaya Campbell is an intelligence analyst of far-right disinformation, radicalization, and extremism at technology startup Blackbird AI. In this role, she serves as an extremism and disinformation subject matter expert for an international suite of clients. A large portion of her work involves identifying, researching and authoring intelligence reports on disinformation campaigns and wider information operations related to right-wing extremism and electoral integrity for international government and private sector clients using a wide collection of open-source intelligence (OSINT) tools and quantitative techniques.

Prior to her role with Blackbird.AI, Ms. Campbell worked as a Senior Threat Intelligence Analyst at cybersecurity and geopolitical risk firm Recorded Future and as a humanitarian aid and disaster relief associate at Team Rubicon.

She began her career in intelligence analysis with the Central Intelligence Agency before departing federal service to pursue her master's degree. She loves living in Washington, D.C., where she enjoys summer thunderstorms and the many boundless opportunities to make a difference in an ever-changing world.

A Ward 6 resident, Ms. Campbell hold a Bachelor of Arts degree in Law, History, and Culture from the University of Southern California and a Masters in Peace and Conflict Studies at the University of Otago, New Zealand.



GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Executive Office of Mayor Muriel Bowser



Office of the General Counsel to the Mayor

**To:** Tommy Wells, Steve Walker  
**From:** Betsy Cavendish  
**Date:** March 1, 2023  
**Subject:** Legal sufficiency review of Resolutions nominating Wendy Villatoro, Remaya Campbell, and Joseph Green as members of the District of Columbia Homeland Security Commission

**This is to Certify** that this office has reviewed the above-referenced resolutions and found them to be legally unobjectionable. If you have any questions in this regard, please do not hesitate to call Vanessa Careiro, Deputy General Counsel, Executive Office of the Mayor, at 202-724-1303, or me at 202-724-7681.

Elizabeth A. (Betsy) Cavendish